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RE:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/649,600 entitled "METHODS, APPARATUSES, AND

SYSTEMS USEFUL IN CONDUCTING IMAGE GUIDED INTERVENTIONS" - Jerome

R. Edwards

Our reference: JRME:001US

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and references A69-A71. Also enclosed is a copy of the partial International Search Report received in connection to the corresponding PCT application.

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In re Application of: Jerome R. Edwards

Serial No.: 10/649,600

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For: METHODS, APPARATUSES, AND SYSTEMS USEFUL IN CONDUCTING IMAGE GUIDED INTERVENTIONS

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§ 1.97(g), (h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be

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Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be made of record in the present

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